

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Douglas BEIGEL

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Application No.: 10/665,511

Group Art Unit: 3714

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Examiner: UTAMA, Robert J.

For:

ONLINE SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ASSESSING/CERTIFYING

COMPETENCIES AND COMPLIANCE

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a full and complete response to the Office Action having a mailing date of December 20, 2007. The three month shortened statutory period to respond to the Office Action was set to expire March 20, 2008; accordingly, a petition for a three-month Extension of Time accompanies this response.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow this application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 and include a complete listing of claims.

Remarks begin on page 13.